

Information for Proposals to Consumer Operated Business (formerly RFP-11-35)

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To All,

This is important information concerning the payment of the three individual \$50,000.00 awards for the Consumer Operated Businesses.

The awards will **not** be paid out as a lump sum of \$50,000.00. The State's contract system is based on payment for costs incurred. You will need to support your project financially until the first payment will be made.

EXAMPLE: Your project includes the creation of a brochure to advertise and inform others of your business. You will be reimbursed by the State for the costs for creating the brochure after the brochure is created.

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This notice is to inform you that a schedule for the submission of written questions has been established. Please submit your questions in writing, in an email no later than Noon on January 31, 2011. Answers to the questions submitted by this date will be published in the form of an email sent to everyone by Noon on February 7, 2011.

Email your questions to Bruce Van Dusen at bruce.vandusen@fssa.in.gov

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This Solicitation for Proposals for Consumer Operated Business is the announcement that you were notified of last week. This solicitation is the replacement for the RFP 11-35 that was withdrawn. The attachments have all of the requirements and guidelines you will need to submit your proposal. I hope you will find this is a better format for you.

You will need Adobe Acrobat Reader to open these attachments. If you do not have Adobe Acrobat you can visit their website and download a program. It is free and should only take a few minutes.

The Consumer Status Verification form, (attached) will need to be downloaded, printed and completed.

In the event that I receive a great number of questions I will provide a plan of action for answering questions. I will give you a due date for written questions to be submitted and will publish the answers for all to see on a date that will be announced.

I hope you will find this a useful method for supporting consumers. We look forward to evaluating your proposals.

Sincerely,

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